

REMARKS

This is a divisional of Application Serial No. 09/778,107, filed February 7, 2001, which is a divisional of Application No. 09/047,373, filed March 25, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,279,353.

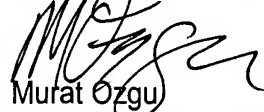
Claims 1-3 are pending.

The amendments to the specification are made to correct the omission of Figure 12 from the brief description of the drawings section and related portions in the detailed description section. The amendments were also made in the '107 patent application to correct the same informalities therein.

Favorable consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

Should any additional fees be due with respect to this paper, such fees may be charged to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Docket No. 103203-00010.

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